# THE NEW REVENUE BILL WAYS AND MEANS DEMOCRATS CONSIDER

A REVISED DRAFT. AN INCOME TAX LIKELY TO BE ADOPTED, IN

AND THE SUGAR QUESTION

Nov. 18.-The draft of the new dent Cleveland, after revision by the Secretary of the Treasury and Messrs. Dickinson, Quincy and Harrity, of the Democratic National Committee, was laid before the Democratic members of the ommittee on Ways and Means in caucus as-mbled this forenoon. The new mode of enacting the Revenue bill, unless the plans of the dministration miscarry. There is grave reason, owever, to doubt the ability of the Administrato carry through Congress without amendbill embodying so many different and comicated provisions affecting such a multitude of in crests and industries, especially when, as is well , even the Democratic members of the Ways eans Committee are unable to agree among

Carlisle and not opposed by the Presi-which is earnestly advocated by a number f not by a majority of the Democratic members of l by other Democratic members who st offensive and odious de-

embers of the committee have thus far not been le unanimously to agree. The subject of soentatives, differences which have been concealed defeat, many of the recommendations of the

elved much advice and many suggestions from in Whatever amendments the majority of corporated in and made a part of the general Rev-enue bill, and there is reason to believe that radical and sweeping modifications and changes will be recommended. Indeed, it is asserted that the changes are to be so numerous and important that the Democratic majority will probably insert a section repealing the act of 1899 and substituting section repealing the act of 120 and entirely new provisions. Whether they will go so far as to legislate the present general appraisers out of office is not yet decided. If that should be done the President would have an opportunity to

far as to legislate the present general appraisers out of office is not yet decided. If that should be done the President would have an opportunity to appoint their successors.

Among the changes which it is understood will be recommended, is the reduction of the "penalty duties" to 50 per cent of the value of the goods as shown by reappraisement in addition to the regular duties thereon. Another important change will abolish the double duties now levied on unusual coverings. These coverings are now included in the cuttable value of the imports, and then duty is separately assessed upon the coverings at the rate to which they would be liable if separately imported. They will pay only one duty under the new Tariff bill, and it will be that to which they would be subject as separate importations. Exterior coverings, which are worthless except for the Importation of the goods, will not be included in the dutiable value and this provision of itself will greatly reduce the appraised value of importations of chinaware and machinery.

Chairman Wilson's face wore a smile of gratification when he entered the Ways and Means Committee room this morning and found all the majority members present for the first time since the adjournment of Congress, To-day's deliberations, like those who have preceded them, were secret, and Chairman Wilson, as usual, was non-committal, it was understood, however, that the committee first called up the report of the sub-committee first called up the report of the sub-committee. This schedule forms the basis of the proposed bill, and the first business of the committee was to decide what shall be done with it. The discussion which followed brought out the fact that there was not only a diversity of opinion regarding the proposition to tax incomes, but as to the amount which might be collected under a given rate. It was reported at the Capitol this afternoon that the committee was likely to substitute a specific for a mixed duty on all lines of gloves imported into this country. The Gloversvil

both as regards its strength and elasticity and its waterproof qualities, but it has the same general appearance.

The committee asked Commissioner Miller, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, to-day to prepare for the use of the committee the amount of income tax received by the United States Government from the imposition of 3 and 5 per cent tax on incomes in tariff bills, passed shortly after the war. It is the intention of the committee to tax incomes, but the rates are not yet fixed. It will incomes, but the rates are not yet fixed. It will depend upon how much revenue is needed after the other schedules are adopted. Gross incomes under \$4,000 will not be taxed, and the rate will not be over 3 per cent. Probably the amount will be higher than \$4,000 and the rate will be less than 3 per cent. As the income schedule is now drawn up, both the amount and the rate are left blank, to be filled in when it is certain how much revenue is needed, or, rather, how much revenue it is expected the bill as a whole will produce.

### MR. VAN ALEN'S DELAY IN QUALIFYING. THE GOVERNMENT OPEN TO THE CHARGE OF

Washington, Nov. 18.—Some surprise is come as pressed here because Mr. Van Alen, the newly appointed United States Ambassador to Italy, has rot appeared in Washington to qualify. Mr. Van Alen was nominated several weeks ago, was confirmed after considerable delay, and his commission bears date of October 29. For five months now the Italian Government has been represented.

but was dismissed for dishonest practices. As in the Norfolk, Va., cases, the attorney had a notary public as an accessory, who permitted a free use of his seal in his absence, and without the formality of administering the oath required by law. It is alleged that persons having no shadow of right to pensions have been successfully solicited to make application, and in this way fully \$100,000, it is estimated, has alrady been wrongruly paid to them. In many instances, it is said, the application for pensions, as well as the testimory in their support, were wholly fraudulent, and arrests for perjury in connection with them are quite sure to follow. It is stated at the Pension Office that the implicated attorney has about 4,000 claims in the office, a large proportion of which are at least tainted with fraud. The special agents of the Bureau are using their best efforts to bring to justice all those who have been in any way implicated in the frauds.

## SPEEDY ACTION EXPECTED.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS TO DO SOMETHING DEFINITE.

LATURE LOOKED TO FOR RELIEF-WELL-

GROUNDED HOPES THAT IT WILL ACT

erable interest to the result of John H. Starin's European trip. There are well-defined rumors that forward to as an indication of the future policy of the commission. Mr. Bushe said the other vill be a very important meeting." Mr. Stein-

But the most important feature of all rapidession of the State Legislature. Attempts at legislation of this sort, made in Albany last year, the Legislature on this important subject. One and destructive policy of protecting, at all hazards, Company, although at that time the Rapid Transit Commission was proceeding in such a manner that assistance from the Tammany Assemblymen did not seem necessary.

or, George Malby, of St. Lawrence County. Mr. ticians and financial men with fines are talking about announced positively yesterday that Mr. Malby's resolution, with a few additions and changes, would again be offered in the Assembly within two weeks after the convening of that body. The utter failure of the commission of the commission in its existence of nearly

introduced in the Assembly before January 2), was

atisfactory and extravagent plan of rapid transit; there

seeme the acceptance of a practical of rapid transit for the said city, it can be had at the

at the carliest possible date, all of the findings in relation to the investigation herewith ordered.

The meeting of the Commissioners to-morrow will be held in their office, at No. 22 William-st., at 1 o'clock.

# EX-MAYOR GLEASON PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

THE INDICTMENT AGAINST HIM FOR CONSFIRACY TO DEFRAUD LONG ISLAND CITY-OTHER OFFICIALS IN COURT.

Courthouse, at Long Island City yesterday, pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with con-spiracy to defraud Long Island City out of \$2,200, in connection with the sale of an old fire engine. plea was entered before Judge Garretson.

The pica was entered before anged cardiac and Ex-City Clerk Thomas P. Burke, who field from the city a year ago after counting Gleason in, and Philip J. Coffee, Gleason's clerk, were also arraigned to plead to indictments charging them with

raigned to plead to indictments charging them with purloining the city's seal in connection with that famous incident. Both men, through their counsel, Francis H. Van Vechten, pleaded not guilty.

Detective Owen J. Kavanagh, of the Long Island City police force, who was indicted for assault in the second degree on Patrick Downey. Gleason's night watchman, pleaded not guilty and gave ball.

Ex-Mayor Gleason has been served with papers in an appeal taken by Attorney John Fleming from the decision of County Judge Garretson, allowing a demurrer to the indictment charging Mr. Gleason with participating in the fraudulent auditing of a bill for the fire engine amounting to \$2,200.

# THE MURDERED WOMAN IDENTIFIED.

PECOME INFATUATED WITH A SAILOR

WHO HAS DISAPPEARED. Part of the mystery surrounding the murder of the young woman whose body was found in the East River at Jefferson-st, on Thursday morning was cleared away yesterday when the body was was cleared at the Morgue as that of Josephine N. Muller, a Swedish dresemaker, twenty-three years old. The identification was made by Lydia Goeth, prot appeared in weakingsom to couldly, Mr. Van Almer to my compared to the control of the contr

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prise to those who had kept themselves informed on Brazilian affairs, yet it caused a great deal of comof Dom Pedro monarchy on this hemisphere was

### ZALINSKI AT THE WAR DEPARTMENT. ANXIOUS TO SETTLE THE QUESTION OF A LEAVE OF ABSENCE-BRAZIL OFFERS HIM \$15,000

offer?".

aybe I'll accept. I don't know. Of course I contemplating it. Who wouldn't?" tain Zalinski returned to New-York on the moon train, without being able to obtain any retunding with the War Department as to a

Germans in the southern Brazilian States will oppose a restoration of the monarchy, nor will the
zessign nearo inhabitants. The clergy are doubtless unanimously in favor of a monarchy. Therefore, "The Gazette" a ke: "If Brazil sides with
Admiral Mello, what can the United States do."
Continuing, it says that after the Chilian mess
President Cleveland is likely to be careful. The
interests of the United States in Brazil are commercial, not sentimental,
"The Globe" says: "It is likely to be a long time
before the monarchy is restored in Brazil. Admiral
Mello and President Peixoto are well matched, and
neither is able to force a decisive conflict. The
paper expresses the belief that the public favors
Admiral Mello.

## AGAINST FREE COAL AND IRON.

ALABAMANS REGARDLESS OF PARTY DECLARE FOR PROTECTION.

vinced that so far, at least, as concerned the Birmingham district the repeal of the duty would

The report being before the club was received and adopted without a single dissentient vote, or even adverse criticism. The club is composed of the

HE WILL PROBABLY BE E. M. SHEPARD'S ASSOCIATE.

THE TWO LAWYERS TO HAVE FULL POWERS IN

special prosecuting officers to conduct the election fraud cases in Brookiyn were practically set-tled yesterday. General B. F. Tracy, ex-Secretary of the Navy, was selected as the Republican to serve in place of ex-Judge Reynolds-who declined to do so-in conjunction with E. M. Shepard, Demo-

leclination was made known, the Committee of Twenty-five appointed to act in the matter of the prosecutions held a meeting to suggest some one else. The names of General Tracy, George F. Elliott, Jesse Johnson and John A. Taylor were suggested, and that of General Tracy was agreed

Ridgway and E. M. Shepard at the Phoentz Building yesterday, and after a conference he went to Newelled. In order that there might be no question in regard to the action of the appointees as asistants will be retired temporarily to make

efore me officially," he said. "Whether I as

He said in reference to the action of the Governor that he had not the slightest

to me, and I am assured by telegram to-night that it is to Governor Flower. Mr Tracy told us that he would accept, but that he might be obliged to sail for Europe in a day or two on business, but expected to return immediately and be back in time to assist in presenting the cases before the Grand Jury. Messrs. Tracy and Shepard are also to be appointed deputes to the Attorney-General might have in the premises. District-Attorney Riogway readily acceded to all the suggestions of the Governor and the counsel, and a thoromy prosecution is assured."

Poughkeepste, N. Y. Nov. Is (Special)—Justice Barnard received a letter to-day from the District-Attorney of Kings County, requesting him to order and impanel a Grand Jury for a Court of Oyer and Terminer of that county. The letter is as follows:

I respectfully request that a Grand Jury be ordered and impaneled for a Court of Oyer and Terminer of that county. The letter is as follows:

alleged recent violations of the election laws and such other matters as may be brought to their attention.

NAMED FOR MAYOR BY TAUNTON REPUBLICANS. Taunton, Mass., Nov. 18.—The Republican convention to-night nominated Willis K. Hodgman for Mayor.

A SERENADE TO JUDSON LAWSON.

A large number of Republicans and independent voters in the XXIIId Assembly District assembled at Lyceum Hall, No. 225 West Ninety-pinth-st., last night and with a brass band merched to the home of Assemblyman-clert Judson Lawson, No. 708 West End-ave., and acceptable him. Many of the members of Good Government Child B. Icos very in the affair. ment Club B took part in the affair.

## SNARING PARTRIDGES.

THE CONNECTICUT WOODS ARE OVERRUN WITH

POACHERS-AN OLD WEDDING RHYME. Norwich, Conn., Nov. 18 (Special).—Connecticut sportsmen complain bitterly that the local poachers have nearly ruined partridge shooting in the State this fall through their wholesale methods of snaring birds. There is a special content. most influential people in this district, without distinction of employment or politics. It numbers now nearly 600 men, and was organized about four months ago for the express purpose of considering on the wing, hence it is no extravagant statement. all questions affecting the prosperity of the district in general, and Birmingham in particular. It contains straight-out Republicans and Democrats, free-coinage men and so-called "gold-bugs." Populists. its neck show marks of the slip noose with which it was strangled. There has always been more or less snaring done in Connecticut, by farmers' boys, mostly, and it is an abuse of sport that no magnanimous hunter condones. But this season scores of men have undertaken the business with a purely necessary and it is mention; that birds" unless the law is rigorously enforced against

With that end in view, Game Warden Collins of Hartford addressed a public letter to all game wardens and hunters generally in Connecticut, asking them to unite in an endeavor to bring the snare-setting poachers of the State to justice. He cited several instances in which the poachers have this fall, among them that of Lyme, in this county, where one band of young men have 2,000 snares, where one band of young men have 2,000 snares, extending back and forth across all the important forests in the town. "A day or two ago," said a Lyan hunter, "I stumbled on a single snare fence in one deep wood that was more than a mile long, and it had eighty-five 'doors," In the wish region about Middletown, in the Connecticut valley, snaring is done in a like wholesale fashion, and the partiridge-shooting there, expert nunters say, is almost a total failure. One Middletown poacher has a line of snares in that town over two miles long, and it takes him all day to visit and tend his traps and market his game.

Looking over an old file of newspapers one day this week, a resident of the county town of Bozrah, three miles west of Norwich, found a curious arcount of the wedding of John Bate, of Williamstown, Mass, and Mary Ann Bass, of Bozrah, on August 7, 1819. The newspaper story stated that the wedding was the upshot of "a courtship of one hour," and ended with this verse:

"Is not this ancling well, I ask, Such tender bait to take?

He caught in one short hour a Bass;

The Bass, though, caught the Bate."

to in order that her passengers might omfortable in the heavy sea which was running.

### MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. Sunrise 6:52|Sun sets 4:39|Moon sets 1:53|Moon's HIGH WATER TO-DAY. A.M.—Sandy Hook 3:25/Gov. Island 3:44/Hell Gate 5:37 P.M.—Sandy Hook 3:54/Gov. Island 4:04/Hell Gate 5:57

INCOMING STEAMERS. TO-DAY. Vessel.

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Bermuda, Nov 16.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20. ... Bremen, Nov 11..... Hayana, Nov 10..... Liverpool, Nov 10.... TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21. ity of Para ....

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20. 
 Vessel, Line, For.
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### SHIPPING NEWS.

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and 254 secrate passengers to Vernon H Brown & Co.
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Steamer Orana (Br., Robinson, from Charleston, with indee and passengers to W.P. Clyde & Co.
Steamer Derian (Br., Burryoni, Philadelphia November 18, in ballast to H Dumels.

teamer Guyandotte, Walker, Norfolk and Newport s-Old Donindon Steamship Company. Jeamer Anchorla (Br), Young, Giasgow-Henderson

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### THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. FOREIGN PORTS.

Steamer Cuffe (Br), Smith, sailed from Liverpool for Steamer Aral (Br.), Evans, sailed from Hull for New-York November 17.

Steamer State of California (Br.), Braes, sailed from Steamer State of California (Br.), Steamer Standard (Ger.), Lauren, from New-York No-steamer Standard (Ger.), Steamer Lucania (Br.), McKay, New-York for Liverpoid, a rived at Cueenstown November 18.

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send up the coast. It is thought that the knowledge that Mello cannot get coal enough to send a couple of cruisers up north to look out for the new versels is the cause of the 'change in the pians as regards flags.

The Cld, or the Nictheroy, as Senor Mendonca called her in his letter to the Collector, lay at an anchorage below Bedlow's Island all day yesterday, and When night came on she began to experiment with her powerful searchlight.

terday that Admiral Mello had proclaimed the Prince Pedro, son of the Princess Isabella and as Emperor of Brazil, was not altogether a sur-

# FOR ONE MONTH'S SERVICE.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 15 (Special).—At a meeting of the Commercial Club of Birmingham held on November 3 a report was received from the committee appointed to consider the question of free iron ore and coal. The committee was composed of prominent merchants and business men not directly connected with iron or coal, the chair-man being a wholesale grocer, whose tendency had always been in the direction of a low tariff. The committee unanimously recommended that the Alabama Congressmen, and Senators in particular, and all other representatives who have at heart the prosperity of the Southern industrial districts, be requested to use their influence in the retention of the present duty of 75 cents a ton. The chairman, Mr. Van House, stated that he went into the question prejudiced against the tariff, but after looking into it most carefully he had become con-

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